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JULIUS PALMER SKILLINGS

The death of Mr. Skillings, at his home, on the evening of June 23rd, brings a great loss to the town which has so long been the home of his choice. A wholly irreparable one to the little community, which is honored in bearing his name, to whose people he has been not only beloved benefactor and employer, but counselor, father, friend.

Guided only by the impulse of large heart and generous heart, he, with Mrs. Skillings, has developed there an interesting type of community life. The gathering they have reached a satisfactory solution of the vexed problems which beset the relations of employer and employee. Their house has been a Neighborhood Center. In a large room fitted for assemblies and devoted to the use of his people, have been held a Sunday school, classes, clubs, services and merry makings. The crown of the year has always been the Christmas celebration at which Mr. and Mrs. Skillings were the blessed patron saints. "His thought is with these people, to whom he has been a father," wrote the one nearest to him a few days ago. And upon his people now a heavy sorrow rests.

His was an unusually attractive personality. Marked distinction of bearing and charm of manner, his partly by inheritance, partly through early advantage of school and travel and social opportunity. A delicious, inimitable sense of humor. A playful, half-whimsical outlook upon the daily scene. Instant apprehension of whatever might add to the gaiety and diversion of the common round. A beautiful courtesy. All these made him a delightful companion. But they were but as ripples on the surface of his nature. To the depths below, so instinctive were his refinements and reserves, few ever penetrated. Those who did, were richly rewarded.

Somebody has said that lovable men generally have nicknames. He was widely "June." Perhaps a childish perversion of Julius. It fitted, and clung to him. For something of the springtime of youth and boyishness were in it, which went with him to the end. Mr. Skillings was an engaging conversationalist, once a certain modesty, in which lay a great part of his social charm, was overcome. He, a boy, was with his family in Paris during the Franco-Prussian War, and his story of the siege of Paris, when he could be induced to tell it, furnished an interesting side-light upon history. It has been always to be regretted that he could not often have been won from his seclusion and made to contribute to us in social relations what he was so well fitted to bestow.

Perhaps he was seen at his best with little children, whom he greatly loved. And his was the happy gift which enabled him to enter at once into comradeship with them. Of such was his Kingdom of Heaven.

Of the breadth of his charities but few ever knew. They were unobtrusive, unheralded, known only to those whom they blessed. He was a very keen, able man of affairs. His giving was not indiscriminate, although his sympathies were ready. But when he knew that a need existed he sprang instantly to meet it. Nor was there ever the slightest destroying taint of patronage in his giving. Indeed he gave with such delicacy, such entire self-effacement that it often seemed that he were receiving rather than bestowing a favor.

He could severely, could discipline, could exhort. But so great was his comprehension of human weakness, of the pitfalls of temperament, so strong his compassion for the tried and tempted, that he certainly had more joy over one sinner who repented—more tender care over the repentant, so he that they were sorely tried—than for the penitent and since self-motivated, just penitent. The only things which really caused him sorrow were cruelty, Pharisaism and self-righteousness.

Three last years he has been under great physical limitations and pains. The management of his large business has brought absorbing demands upon him. He has made a systematic search for necessary diversions. But the same mind has been constantly turning upon itself, seeking silently some relief to the haunting problems of human existence. He has read widely. He has questioned much. He has reached conclusions. They were such as enabled him to face whatever came with serenity and courage. Thinking at the last only of others, troubled only last by the burden which he must lay down, would rest his heavily upon those whom he was leaving.

The path of life has not been always smooth before him. He has known sorrow, struggle, temptation in the wilderness, disappointment, defeat. All of them he has met with heroic strength.

CYCLONE STRUCK WEST PARIS

West Paris was visited Saturday afternoon by a cyclone which leveled many trees, blew off roofs and made the town a scene of wreckage.

The storm of wind, rain and electricity swept over a section of about one-half mile in width and two miles in length. Many fruit trees were blown down, but the worst damage was the loss of the beautiful maple trees along the street to Trap Corner.

At the Universalist church one large maple was blown over and another badly damaged. A large memorial window was blown out and destroyed. Half of a stained glass window in the upper part of the church was ruined, and there were other minor damages.

A portion of George Blanton's barn roof was blown off, Henry Brock's shed roof was blown off, and his buildings were damaged to quite an amount. At Trap Corner garages, hen and hog houses suffered the same fate.

It is a remarkable thing that with wires hanging, trees blown across the road, and general destruction, no one was killed.

Telephone service and electric lighting was shut off until late Sunday forenoon.

The smokestack at L. M. Mann & Son's mill was blown off.

SPECIAL METHODIST MINISTERS CONVENTION

At the Bethel Methodist Church, All Day Thursday. Public Invited.

The following program will be carried out:

9:00 A. M. Devotions.

Rev. Ralph Lowe, District Supt.

9:45 A. M. Should Our District be Organized into a District Conference?

Affirmative, H. O. Megert, So. Paris Negative, N. R. Pearson, Norway.

10:45 Sermon Outlines.

Gardner Willis, Ramford Center.

11:15 Book Review.

C. B. Oliver, Bethel.

12 M. Dinner at the church.

1:30 P. M. "Has the Disciplinary Plan for the Support of the Ministry and for Raising the Benevolence been carried out?" D. B. Holt, Ramford.

2:30 P. M. Church Advertising.

I. D. Archibald, Mechanic Falls.

3:30 P. M. The Use of Sunday Evening.

A. H. Graham, Gorham, N. H.

The people of Bethel village and vicinity will profit by attending these sessions. Be sure to take in the debate at 9:15 and all the afternoon program. Rev. I. D. Archibald is a beautiful singer. Our former Superintendent will have an important part. This will be the first appearance of our new District Superintendent, Rev. Ralph F. Lowe.

EMELINE WALKER GROVER

Mrs. Emeline Walker Grover, widow of the late Newton Grover, died in Pasadena, California, June 19, in her 87th year.

Mrs. Grover was a Bethel girl, the daughter of the late James Walker and Hannah Barker Walker.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Nellie Grover Sherbridge with whom she made her home, and Madge Grover Nichols, besides several sisters and nephews.

HERBERT A. EDWARDS

Word has been received in town of the death of Herbert A. Edwards at his home in Los Angeles, California, on Saturday night, June 27.

Mr. Edwards was a former Bethel boy, being the son of the late Col. and Mrs. Clark S. Edwards. He made his home in Bethel until in young manhood he went to Bridgton to clerk in a store. After a few years he started a grocery mill at Bridgton and conducted the business for several years, disposing of it to go to Caribou, Me., where he and his brother, Adelbert, went into partnership in a great mill and grocery store. The partnership was dissolved after about two years and Herbert remained in Caribou and Adelbert went to Bangor to open a business there.

About fifteen years ago Mr. Edwards was forced by ill health to give up his business interests in Caribou and he went to Los Angeles, Calif., where he has since resided. Two years ago he returned to his native State for a visit among old friends and relatives.

Mr. Edwards was united in marriage with Lillian Brashett of Naples on Jan. 1, 1888.

He is survived by his wife and son, P. L. Edwards, of this town.

He was a member of the United Methodist Church and from that church received the last rites.

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PORTLAND MAN KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Nathan Clifford, Jr., son of the late Nathan Clifford of Portland, was instantly killed early Saturday morning at Trap Corner, near West Paris, when the automobile in which he was riding left the road and overturned.

(Clifford had accompanied Philip Marx, owner and driver of the car, and Harry Hall of Rumford to a dance at Norway and were on their way home when the accident occurred. Hall extricated himself from the wreckage and, being unable to free either Marx or Clifford, went about a mile for help. When taken from the car Clifford was dead and Marx only slightly injured.

Mr. Clifford was a veteran of the World War, serving two years in the Naval Reserve unit. At the time of his death he was employed by the Oxford Paper Co. at Rumford.

MRS. DORIS LORD ENTERTAINS

Having been previously invited and Wednesday the 24th being a perfect June day, 16 members and 4 visitors of the West Bethel Union Chapel Aid Society met at the home of Mrs. Doris Lord, Vernon Street, Bethel, for an all day meeting.

Sewing and pleasant conversation was carried on until noon when the eats appeared. As each lady had contributed it certainly was a bounteous dinner. The menu follows: mashed potatoes, cold boiled ham, pickles, fruit salad, rolls, pies, cakes, strawberries with cream, cheese, coffee and tea.

Much merriment was caused by the fact that the hostess wished the older members to sit first at table, and of course, everyone wished to be old. (Just for a little while.)

The ages ranged from 11 months to 74 years.

After all had partaken of the feast, and the usual gathering up of fragments and dish washing, (so much enjoyed by all) had taken place Mrs. Lord entertained by singing a variety of songs, playing her own accompaniment upon the skeleton. Games, both indoor and out, were enjoyed by the younger ones. Everyone had her "pieter took" out upon the lawn and all too soon the autos arrived to take us home. As each lady departed she pronounced the day a very much enjoyed one and Mrs. Lord a very delightful hostess.

THE J. E. JONES LETTER

SHIPS FOR SALE

The President of the United States has finally induced the United States Shipping Board and the Emergency Fleet Corporation to settle upon a consistent business policy. The Emergency Fleet Corporation has been estimated with complete administrative supervision of the physical properties of the Board, which functions as a regulatory, semi-judicial and policy organization. The Corporation thus becomes agent of the Board, and subject to its veto.

The Emergency Fleet Corporation will attempt to negotiate the sale of ships and if private ship owners find that the new business policy does not contain lower price cards that have heretofore been displayed on Government ships for sale, they may decide not to wait any longer to buy in the public craft, which has been going lower and lower for several years.

TRADE METHODS

The Federal Trade Commission continues its quarrel, one group of Commissioners contending for quiet and orderly process of business, while a minority say that there is a dangerous tendency in such a method of procedure. The minority group wants lots of publicity noise. The Federal Trade Commission has been trying both volume and noise. It was born, and neither method has ever worked very satisfactorily. The Commission has been frequently attacked by the United States Supreme Court. Justice (McGregor), which is a fact of old body, has given evidence that it does not take the Trade Commission very seriously.

A good many people believe that what the Federal Trade Commission needs most is a new set of Commissioners.

CAN CALVIN COME?

The Mr. Calvin will parade in Washington on August 3. The Klan wants the President to review its fantastic exhibition, and some of its members have been to the White House to ask whether the President can come back from his vacation long enough to look it over. Washington has had its full of the colorful hot pink and purple of numerous parades and it is to be regretted that the President will not.

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BETHEL SCOUTS ON CASCO BAY

The boys of Bethel village have discovered a new world. Life from now on has a different color.

"Oh, say, do you know the sounding sea? (Yo ho, my lad, with a boom splash!) Well, you'll know her now that you're out with me. And you'll bow your head and you'll bend your knee. When she tumbles herself to her highest key. (Swish, boom, splash.)"

Now say, do you get the taste of salt? (Yo ho, my lad, with a thud, smacks!) Do you find your sea-legs a bit at fault? When you see the waves overboard vault?"

To many of our Bethel boys who enjoyed last week's outing on the coast, electric cars, lobster and clams, horse-shoe crabs, and sights of the sea in general, were curiosities.

The first day was spent in preparing the old farm house for habitation. Windows were screened, stoves moved, beds made on the floor of three upstairs rooms. Each boy carried his own dishes, blankets, towels, rain coat, bathing suit and the like and was held responsible for the neatness and care of his own bed, dishes, and personal belongings. Marked pride for neatness was observed in every boy after one or two suggestions.

On Tuesday the menu consisted of steamed clams; clam chowder with fried oysters and founders as a side dish. Some liked "hot dogs" better than clams! In the afternoon all went down to Sea Wall Beach and enjoyed a good swim in the surf. The water was cold but good—extra good.

Volley ball was the chief out door game. Tag-of-war was not without attraction. Organized play is a great need for the boys of our village. When every play was directed splendid harmony was the rule and when play was not directed individuals and property suffered.

Wednesday was spent in fishing, shopping wood, preparing motor boat for service and the like. Every boy appointed to get water or milk or other task was usually on duty. It can be truthfully said that the Bethel Scouts abide by their laws.

Thursday being a rainy day made it necessary to remain in doors. Games were conducted in the barn.

Friday was spent almost entirely upon the water. Motor boat sails were the order of the day. All went in bathing at Sandy Cove, Candy's Harbor, in the afternoon and some had the chance to feel the pull of a real speed yacht to help them home.

With one or two exceptions our Bethel Scouts rank above the average in the good requisites of boy life. All returned home feeling that a week thus spent is too short a time to be away from home. All like their taste of the sea.

TRAIN SCHEDULE

Hammer train service on the Canadian National Railway went into effect last Sunday as follows:

Trains leaving Bethel for Portland: Train No. 14, daily, leaves Bethel at 4:50 A. M.; train No. 12, daily except Sunday, leaves Bethel at 8:40 A. M.; train No. 16, daily, leaves Bethel at 4:12 P. M.

Trains leaving Bethel for Island Pond and Montreal: Train No. 17, daily, 10:32 A. M.; train No. 11, daily except Sunday, 4:21 P. M.; train No. 13, daily, 11:16 P. M.

FIFTH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY OF BETHEL METHODIST MINISTER

Jolly Company Meets at New Personage with Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Oliver

The Methodist society a good company of well wishing friends met at the parsonage on Mason Street to wish their minister and his wife health and happiness on life's way. Ice cream and cakes were served and appropriate gifts presented.

Mrs. Angella Clark went to Rockport, Me., last week to attend the graduation of her granddaughter, Angella E. Dodge. Mrs. Addie Conner is keeping house for her during her absence.

Mrs. Lyndall Blanchard and son, Conner, and Mrs. Varril from Abington, Me., are spending a few weeks with the former's parents, Judge and Mrs. A. E. Herrick. Mr. Charles Thell went to Portland by auto to meet them.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mrs. Ella Brown of Crystal, N. H., is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Brinck.

Carpenters are busily engaged on the construction of the new school building. Sills and floor timbers are in place and the frame and studding is going up rapidly.

Messrs. Oscar Benson of Auburn and A. H. Gibbs of Bethel have purchased the Sessions garage on Mechanic Street, and expect to open for business July 15th.

Masters Robert and George Johnson, who have been making their home with their grandparents at Bowdoin, Me., have come to Bethel and will make their home with their father, Mr. Robert Johnson.

Cinderella Tenney, now residing in Cumberland Center, called upon Mrs. J. C. Purington and Mrs. F. S. Chandler last Saturday. The cousins had not met before for forty-five years—as Mrs. Tenney resided in Florida for many years.

On the last Saturday in June, since 1915, there has been held a reunion of the Howard family. This year it was held on the lawn at the home of Mrs. Neville S. Howard near Norway Corner, and was well attended, there being present 111 relatives and invited guests. On the last Saturday in June, 1920, the reunion will be held at the same place.

The Central Maine Power Company has taken over the Bethel Light Company and assumed control of the property Wednesday, July 1. Representatives of the former company have been in town the past week taking an inventory and making tests.

The Bethel Light Co. was formed about fifteen years ago, since which time they have given efficient service to their patrons.

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ONE THING MORE

It seemed at the close of the Commencement of 1925 that nothing could have added to the beauty and perfection of the great day. Thus it was, to those so fortunate as to be present at the Commencement and who heard Mr. Hingham's beautiful rendering of Mr. Hingham's message to Gould Academy.

But in a wide circle of interested friends a petition has been formulated asking that Mr. Hingham's own words should be given to those who are so deeply interested as are hundreds in this community and to those who, far away, are asking for everything that concerns Gould Academy. We therefore feel justified in sharing with many appreciative readers this unusual expression of feeling, which in its unique form reveals such power and charm.

J. G. G.

Mr. William Bingham, 2nd, to the Alumni, at the Commencement Dinner of Gould Academy, 1925.

"The word 'regret' does not belong to the order of this day, and I use it because it is the only word to express my feelings at not being able to be present at this happy meeting together of the Alumni of Gould Academy; and I cannot forbear to speak somewhat as an alumnus, since I am so much interested in Gould's welfare and have received such cordial appreciation from you all in what I have been able to do for her interests.

"The occasion of the dedication of this building is an opportunity for us all who have Gould's cause at heart, to express our great esteem and regard for her whose name this building has the honor to bear. She who has been Gould Academy's life long friend and prattler of life!"

"May we maintain future years of devotedness, stimulated by her ever constant interest and feel ourselves in some way to and from the home to be cheered by the inspiration of the 1925 and 1926 for each short day, and be so justified above our heads."

"When we are young we are taught, when passing the unfurled flag of our country, to raise our eyes and salute, because we love it much, respect it much and owe it much; when we pass under the name 'Marian True Fighting' is written over the threshold of this 'Home' let our hearts ring to salute, because we love her much, respect her much and owe her much!"

"May she in her living presence be our mentor, guide and friend for many happy years to come, as she will be in our thought and in inscribed name as long as Gould Academy shall stand."

GODWIN—BRINCK

On Tuesday at high noon a very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy O. Brinck on Mechanic Street, when their eldest daughter, Feroi Edith, became the bride of Henry Stowell Godwin of Hanover.

The ceremony was performed in the living room which was attractively decorated. The couple stood under an arch of evergreen, banked with roses. The impressive double ring service was performed by Rev. S. T. Achenbach. Only the immediate family of the bride and her grandmother, Mrs. Ella Brown and Miss Dorothy Parker of Crystal, N. H., and Mrs. S. T. Achenbach witnessed the service.

The bride was gowned in her graduation dress of white georgette with silver brocade slippers. She carried a shower bouquet of bride roses. A wreath of orange blossoms was prettily arranged on her hair.

Little Katheryn Brinck, sister of the bride, was ring bearer.

The bride's traveling suit was a cream brown ensemble with hat, gloves, shoes and traveling bag to match.

Following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served by the bride's mother assisted by Miss Edith Trask of Bethel and Miss Dorothy Parker of Crystal, N. H., after which the newly weds left for Poland Springs and Old Orchard where they will spend their honeymoon. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Godwin will reside at Hanover.

Mrs. Godwin is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Brinck of this town. She received her education in the public schools of Newry and Hanover, and is a graduate of Gould Academy in the class of 1922. She also attended summer school at Gorham Normal School. For the past three years she has been a successful teacher in the schools of Bethel and Greenwood.

Mr. Godwin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Newell Godwin of Hanover, and is a successful farmer.

The young couple have the best wishes of a wide circle of friends.

MORTENSON—STEARNS

On Saturday, June 23, at Colebrook, N. H., occurred the marriage of Miss Albert Stearns and Mr. William Mortenson. The service was solemnized by the Rev. Arthur Henderson and the double ring service was used. The bride was lovely in a dress of green crepe de chene and the couple were unattended. Immediately after the ceremony the happy pair went for a trip to Sherbrooke, Canada, returning to Bethel the first of the week.

Mrs. Mortenson is the only daughter of Adelbert and the late Minnie Godwin Stearns of this town, and a much beloved and respected young lady. Since the death of her mother she has lived with her grandmother, Mrs. Mae Godwin of Church Street and by her unassuming manners and faithful habits has endeared herself to a large circle of friends and neighbors.

Mr. Mortenson is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mortenson of Copenhagen, Denmark, and a graduate of Stefans Middle School in the class of 1918. He is a musician of high talent, who, by his ability and integrity, has earned an excellent reputation during his residence of three years in this town. At present he is manager of an orchestra engaged in several summer resorts in the White Mountains.

Mrs. Mortenson will continue to make her home with her father on Church Street, and at the close of the summer season, the young couple expect to visit relatives in Portland, Boston, and before winter comes will sail for Denmark for an indefinite stay with the groom's people.

LOCAL COURT

Fred W. Fish of East Sebago was before Judge Russell recently charged with fishing in the Magalloway River with bait. He was fined \$10.00 and costs of \$25.00. He paid.

H. D. Pike of Lovell was brought before Judge Russell for having ten short guns in his possession. He was fined \$10.00 and \$1.00 for each short gun, and costs of \$12.50, which was paid.

Henry C. Martin of Reading, Mass., who was with Pike, was also brought in to answer for the same offense and he was fined \$10.00, \$3.00 for short gun and costs of \$13.50, which he paid. These two men were brought in from Black Brook, Andover.

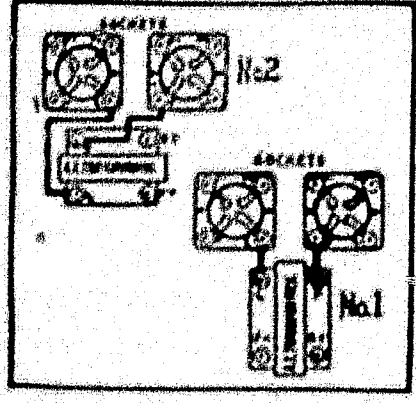
Gen. Harwood of Rumford, an alien residing without a license, was brought into court from Lenox's Mills. He paid a fine of \$60.00, with costs of \$11.00.

Warren G. Mosely of Portland was fined \$10.00 and costs of \$21.00 for fishing with bait in the Magalloway River. Fine paid.

Find Short Leads Will Work Better

Parallel Wires Should Be Avoided in Hooking Up Receiver.

There is a right and a wrong way to do everything. This is particularly applicable in radio. Most trouble encountered in a receiver can be traced directly or indirectly to the method of construction. The most difficult feature of this is the wiring. Every set has what is termed "an invisible circuit." This is the flow of energy that is created between two wires carrying different frequencies when they are too close to one another. Particularly in this case when they are parallel. From this it would seem that the only way



Mount Transformers and Sockets to Obtain Shortest Leads.

to avoid this is to run all wires at angles to one another. This cannot be done when the set is wired up with square corners. The best and most efficient way to wire a set is to make connections directly from terminal to terminal in the shortest possible manner.

This not only prevents parallel wires but it also reduces the resistance of the set as a whole, further increasing its efficiency. For this a flexible wire of several strands and about 15 gauge may be used. It should be insulated. Figure 1 shows a connection made directly from terminal to terminal and Figure 2 shows the same connection made with square corners. Note the difference.

Squeaks and Squeals and How to Stop Them

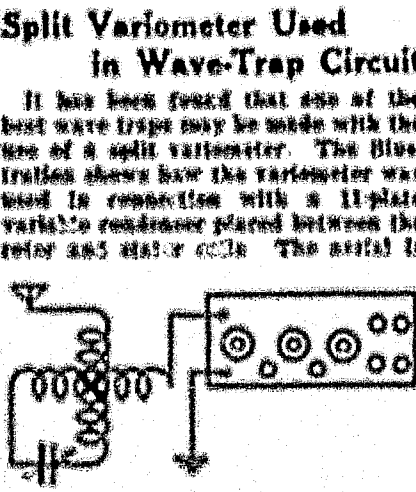
When a set is wired up with square corners, the set will squeak or squeal. This is due to the fact that the set is not wired up with square corners. The best and most efficient way to wire a set is to make connections directly from terminal to terminal in the shortest possible manner.

Most squeaks and squeals can be removed. Here are some of the causes and remedies:

1. Defective tubes. Only standard tubes should be used and they should not be heated by burning too brightly.
2. Battery trouble. When the storage battery gets too low, the set will go into and out of oscillation at various points on the dial, producing hiccups and distorted reception. The moral here is, keep the battery charged, and this involves the use of a good charger.

Split Variometer Used in Wave-Trap Circuit

It has been found that one of the best wave traps may be made with the use of a split variometer. The illustration shows how the variometer was used in connection with a 11-plate variable condenser placed between the rotor and stator coils. The result is



Variable Condenser Placed Between Rotor and Stator Coils.

attaching to one end of the stator coil and the wire leading to the set is attached to the other end of the rotor coil. Radio 1490.

Things to Know About Operation of Chargers

The instruction sheets which accompany many types of chargers for use on storage A and B batteries direct that the battery be disconnected from the charging set when the charger is in use. This is because there is a chance that a short circuit may occur through the grounded circuit of the charger. The instruction sheet in of course, installed from the ground and if you connect a B and C condenser in series with the ground lead, your whole set will be increased so that you will not have to disconnect the batteries when you are charging them. The condenser will not affect your reception.

HOW

AVAILANCHE IN SWISS ALPS DESTROYS ALL THINGS.—A mountain climber, in discussing the accounts of recent avalanches in the southern alps, resulting in destruction and death, says:

The cause of these sudden descents is not far to seek. On the higher slopes there have been six or eight weeks of clear, almost uninterrupted frosts, which have caused the existing snow to become loose and powdery.

Now, under pressure of the recent heavy falls of fresh snow, this loose under snow has given way, and vast masses of it, gathering volume every moment, are plunging down the mountain sides, overwhelming sheep and unfortunate tourists and burying all that comes in their path.

This type of powdery avalanche, serious enough to life and limb, is as nothing compared with the real avalanches built up of accumulations of snow that may have commenced years ago.

These vast accumulations occur on the plateaus or less steep inclines. The pressure of each succeeding season's snow turns the under snow to ice, and winter after winter the mass increases in weight and volume.

A moment arrives when, owing either to pressure from higher levels or the mass growing so immense, it overcomes any resistance that holds it. Or, due to an exceptionally mild summer, the lowest stratum against the mountain side is melted and a sort of water cushion is formed upon which the whole slides forward.

There are other causes, but for some reason such as these the colossal mass commences to move slowly downward toward the valley. If the pace is slow it is known as a creeping avalanche and can be kept under constant observation. There is little immediate danger from it and peasants and farmers can be warned of the approaching peril.

Sometimes, however, an avalanche of this type will within a few hours of having become loosened hurt itself downward with the speed of an express train and a noise exceeding all imagination. Nothing can withstand it. Farms and homesteads are swept away or buried, forests of fir and pine are crashed down or carried away like so much straw; cattle, rocks, railways are all carried before it until either it comes to rest in lower levels or hurls itself over perpendicular walls of rock into the valleys below.

How Big Men Do Things

A friend of the late Henry M. Flagler, the Standard Oil giant who did so much for the development of Florida by constructing railroads, building hotels, etc., tells me this incident, which throws light on the manner of man Flagler was. This friend was chatting with Flagler when a telegram was handed him. He read it and handed it to his friend. It was from St. Augustine, where Flagler had built his monumental Ponce de Leon hotel. It read: "Hotel empty except for band playing at one end. What shall I do?" The manager was wondering whether he should pay off the band. What did Flagler reply? "Engage another band to play at the other end."

Flagler, like most of the stalwarts John D. Rockefeller gathered around him in his early days, had foresight and the courage of his convictions.—H. C. Forbes, in Forbes Magazine.

How Paint Preserves

Most people paint their homes for the sake of good looks. But houses should primarily be painted for the sake of preserving the wood which is very porous. When the wood is well in the two state the pores were filled with sap and when cut the sap dried out, leaving the pores open. If the wood should be left in the open, it would rot. The paint, when it is applied, fills the pores and creates a seal which keeps the air and moisture out. So when painted, the paint penetrates the pores and forms, when dry, a tough, elastic coating, which is "waterproof" to the surface by creating little "humps" that extend into pores of the wood, and this coating of film preserves the wood by preventing it from those things which otherwise would quickly and surely destroy it.

How to Replant Vines

The Department of Agriculture says that grapes which are ten years old may be replanted the same way that a vine a year old can be replanted. Dig out three or four feet of the larger stems with a bit of soil adhering. Cut back to the main stem, leaving only a few buds on the cane to develop new growth. Do not allow the cane to produce fruit until it is thoroughly established.

How Camphor Is Made

As a perfume, camphor has been valued by the Chinese for centuries. Originally obtained from gum deposits it is now extracted from the wood itself, which after being sawed through, is reduced to chips and heated in a still.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

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Malcom Dean, Esq., of Boston is visiting in town.

Mrs. Frank Bartlett was in South Paris, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Luxton spent the week end in Mason.

Dr. and Mrs. Goodrich of Augusta were in town, Saturday.

Miss Dorothy Goodnow is the new clerk in Rowe's store.

Miss Lenora Hodgdon is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Upson.

Mrs. T. L. Carver has returned from a visit with relatives in Skowhegan.

Forrest Stowell is assisting in the post office during Henry Flint's absence.

Miss Mildred York of Upton has been a guest at the home of G. N. Ranbourn.

Miss Ola Hutchins was a recent guest of Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Curtis at Auburn.

Misses Eunice Heath of Gilsum and Marian Bean of Bethel attended Potomac.

Road Commissioner Brown has been hauling gravel onto Main Street this week.

H. P. Thorsten's mail is running overtime this week in order to fill down orders.

Miss Elizabeth Morse is assisting with the housework at Judge A. E. Herrick's.

Master Ernest Brown has gone to the Y. M. C. A. camp at Winthrop for a few weeks.

Miss Muriel Park has returned from an extended trip through Massachusetts and New York.

The ladies of the W. R. C. are to serve a tea supper at Odd Fellows, July 21st, from 6 to 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Flint of Farmington, Me., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bartlett.

Mrs. Walter Emery left for Thomas ton, Conn., Tuesday, where she will visit Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wright.

Miss Faye Sanborn went to Christmas Cove, Wednesday, where she will be employed by Wm. Hingham, End.

Mr. William Bingham, 2nd, and Mrs. Maria Pease left Tuesday for Christmas Cove where they will spend the summer.

Mr. Francis Swan and two daughters, Marjorie and Vivian, of Rochester, N. H., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Pease.

Mr. William Turgeon of Auburn will be at the South Paris celebration with his airplane and will take up passengers during the day.

Cards have been received in town announcing the marriage of Miss Mildred Dyer to Mr. Joe Morton Harvey on Wednesday, June 24.

P. H. Hall's dog, Tillie, and the Stearns dog, Buster, came off second best in an encounter with a porcupine Wednesday, June 24th.

Mr. Olsen Swan has completed his work at the N. B. Stowell & Co. mill. After a short vacation he will be employed by D. G. Weeks.

Dr. J. H. Wright and daughter, Vivian, were in Prospect, Me., Tuesday to attend the wedding of his father, A. C. Wright to Miss Josephine Fob.

Announcements have been received to the effect of the arrival of a girl, Caroline, both in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wright at Thomas ton, Conn.

Rev. Alexander Hamilton, a former Methodist minister in this town, died Saturday at Augusta at the age of 65 years. The services were taken Sunday at 10 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wright at Thomas ton, Conn.

The funeral of James P. Skidmore was held at his late home in Skidmore, Friday afternoon at two o'clock and was largely attended. The service was conducted by Rev. W. C. Curtis of Auburn, after which the Masonic service was given. The remains were taken to Bethel, Saturday and placed in the family tomb at Mt. Auburn cemetery.

Prof. W. S. Wright, who was in Lewiston during the water giving vocal lessons and singing in church, was taken very ill with the flu and grip the last of April and was in Dr. Cobb's hospital six weeks. There was with his daughter three weeks. He came to Bethel last Saturday and is with Mrs. J. C. H. Hauge on Mechanic Street.

Miss Virginia Goodnow has returned from Gorham, N. H., where she has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Bonney.

The State Highway Commission has a crew of men in town with trucks and tanks, preparing to put tarvia on the roads leading to Locke's Mills and Newry Corner. The rain of the past few days has slowed up the work considerably. It is expected that Railroad Street will be covered with tarvia.

RADIO PROGRAMS

Washinghouse Radio Station WBB
3353 Meters, 900 Kilocycle
Springfield, Mass.

THURSDAY

6 P. M. Leo Reisman's Hotel Lenox ensemble.

6:30 P. M. Results of baseball games played by the Eastern, American and National leagues.

7:30 P. M. Broadest direct from Washington of concert by the United States marine band with stations WRC, WJZ and WGY.

8 P. M. James Higgins, newspaper poet's interpretations.

8:30 P. M. Market report as furnished by the United States department of agriculture at Boston.

9:40 P. M. "Bringing the World to America," prepared by Our World.

9:50 P. M. Baseball results of games played by the Eastern, American and National leagues.

9:55 P. M. Arlington time signals and official U. S. weather reports; missing persons description.

FRIDAY

6 P. M. Program by Charles Diamond, Jr., saxophonist, accompanied by Frank Carlo.

6:15 P. M. Concert by the Hotel Kimball trio, under the direction of Jan Greer, broadcast direct from the Hotel Kimball dining room.

6:30 P. M. Results of baseball games played by the Eastern, American and National leagues.

7:45 P. M. "Poultry Puck Management," by Prof. William C. Monahan of the Massachusetts Agricultural College, under the auspices of the Division of University Extension.

8 P. M. National Defense test day program with talks by representatives of the army, navy and air service; Maj. Dickerson of the U. S. A. Lt. E. S. R. Brandt of the U. S. N.; Porter Adams, vice president of the National Aeronautic Association; music by the United States Navy band and a special message from the conference of governors at Augusta, Maine.

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9 P. M. Program of popular songs and piano numbers by Edward Morgan and reading by Robert F. Day.

9:15 P. M. Program by Jimmie Munsie, Scotch comedian, accompanied by Miss Irene Brink.

9:30 P. M. Market report as furnished by the United States department of agriculture at Boston.

9:40 P. M. Sketches from United States naval history by E. S. R. Brandt, lieutenant-commander, U. S. N.

9:50 P. M. Baseball results of games played by the Eastern, American and National leagues.

9:55 P. M. Arlington time signals and official United States weather report; missing persons.

Since January 1, 1923 the railroads of the United States have installed 398,442 new freight cars to take care of growing demands.

If the Nerves Break!

You have to wait for Nature to repair the damage caused by wrong eating, wrong living, overwork, hurry, worry, loss of sleep. Why not slow down before the break comes? Why not profit by the experience of others and avoid such a depressing, expensive experience? Why not follow the common sense directions that go with every bottle of this honest old remedy, the "L. F." ATWOOD Medicine? They tell you how to avoid illness by relieving indigestion, headache, constipation, colds, run down condition. "L. F." builds up, strengthens the stomach, liver, bowels; adds vim, improves the blood.

A fifty cent bottle will add dollars to your earning power and your hours of enjoyment every day. Guaranteed by L. F. Medicine Co., Inc. of your dealer.

Only one cent a dose
L. F. Medicine Co., Portland, Me.

JULY 4 CELEBRATION

COME TO

South Paris

8:30. BIG PARADE

10:00. MOORE PARK

Side Shows, Band Concert, Street Fair, Sport Events

12:00. DINNER SERVED

Congregational Church, Universalist Church, Methodist Church, Grange Hall

1:30. MOORE PARK

Side Shows, Street Fair, Band Concert

1:30. OXFORD CO. FAIR GROUNDS

Two Ball Games

7:30. ASSOCIATION HALL

Band Concert, Drill, Carnival Dance

AIRPLANE COMING

William Turgeon of Auburn, with his

Airplane, will be here for the day to take

up passengers.

Celebration under the auspices of the Arthur S. Foster Post, No. 72, American Legion

FRED S. BROWN

Successor to Brown, Buck & Co.

Smart Summer Apparel

For the Woman or Miss Who Wishes for Individual

Styles at Moderate Prices

STRIPED AND FIGURED Silk Dresses. Just one of a kind. The stripes and some

prints are washable, becoming styles in sizes 16 up to 46. Priced \$12.50, \$14.95, \$16.50.

SPECIAL GROUP of printed crepe dresses in women's styles, long sleeves, excellent mod-

els, reduced to \$19.50.

WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S COATS ALL MARKED DOWN. These are very sub-

stantial savings to be had if you have use for a new coat now. Tans, Browns, Navy and

Black. You save from \$5 to \$25 on a coat.

ENGLISH BROADCLOTH DRESSES in stripes, odd designs and a few plain colors,

dresses made with fullness that gives a perfect fit. Special values at \$2.95, \$3.95, \$4.95, \$5.95.

LINEN RUNNERS for women and misses. Natural and black and white, a perfect fitting

knicker for summer, \$1.95.

New Pictorial Review Printed Patterns

Feature the latest Paris fashions for every hour of the day. Get one today and you will

always demand Pictorial Review Patterns. Printed, perforated, cut out and ready for use.

They almost talk to you. Pictorial Review Patterns for July on sale now, 25c to 45c. Sum-

mer Fashion Book, 25c, by mail 30c.

New Goods in Basement

Just in this week, a big assortment of summer needs about the kitchen. Glass ware,

crookery, enamel, tinware and many novelties. New Cans and Wheelbarrows for children.

The Famous Paris Coaster with rubber tires, in four sizes.

MANY NEW ITEMS ON THE 10c COUNTER.

Norway, Maine

GROVER H

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Prater from Auburn were g-

Lyons, Sunday.

Mrs. Hazel Bena Hoam and daughter from Norw-

gusta of Mrs. Fred W. Mr. and Mrs. M. E. T-

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STATE OF MA

To all persons interested the Estates hereinafter n-

At a Probate Court, a cation in and for the Cou-

on the twenty-fourth da the year of our Lord one hundred and twenty-five,

matters having been pre- tion thereupon having in it hereby ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given interested by and this order to be published successively in the Oxford-

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and be heard thereon if a Julius H. Skilling late deceased; will and petitio- thereof and the appointm-

Skilling as executrix of without bond as exp- all presented by said J- lings, the executrix there-

Witness, Henry H. Has- and Court at Paris this day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and

ALBERT D. PA

STATE OF MA

To all persons interested the Estates hereinafter n-

At a Probate Court, bel and for the County of Oxford Tuesday of June, 1925, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, the following have been presented for ad-

mission hereafter indicated ORDERED:

That notice thereof be persons interested, by ea of this order to be pub- weeks successively in the

to Citizens a newspaper Bethel, in said County, appear at a Probate Court at said Paris on the third day of June, 1925, at 9 of the forenoon, and be hea-

they are cause. Albert E. Barnham late deceased; will and petitio- thereof and the appointm-

U. Barker as executrix of act without bond as exp- will presented by said J- the executrix therein non Helen L. Stearns late-

ceased; petition that Ann- some other suitable person administratrix of the est- ceased presented by said J- ler, daughter and heir-at-l-

Mary F. Farwell late deceased; petition for license convey real estate present K. Randall, executor.

Witness, Henry H. Has- of said Court at Paris, this day of June in the year of thousand nine hundred and

ALBERT D. PA

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby that he has been duly appo- strator of the estate of Al- bice, late of Albany in the County of Albany, deceased, without bond, having demands against said deceased are desired to pre-

sent for settlement, and all thereto are requested to at- tent immediately. E. O. DONAHU June 18th, 1925. AL

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby that he has been duly appo- strator of the estate of Edw- ard P. of Bethel in the County of Oxford, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate deceased are desired to pre-

sent for settlement, and all thereto are requested to at- tend immediately. WINNIE EMER June 17th, 1925. Bethel, Me. 62536

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby that he has been duly appo- strator of the estate of Frank- lin of Bethel in the County of Oxford, without bond. Having demands against the estate deceased are desired to pre-

sent for settlement, and all thereto are requested to at- tend immediately. MAINE H. TUBEL June 17th, 1925. 62536

GROVER HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Pratt and daughter from Auburn were guests at Harry Lyon's, Sunday.

Mrs. Hazel Bean Hosmer with her son and daughter from Norway were recent guests of Mrs. Fred Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Tyler spent the week end with relatives at Mechanic Falls.

Mrs. Lillian V. Whitman and her brother, Mr. M. E. Gibbs, from Medford, Mass., came to Bethel by auto Monday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Whitman's daughter, Dorothy, who will spend the summer at Lake Umbagog as the guest of Mrs. Mary Dutton Chase.

Miss Alice Mundt was the guest of relatives in Newry, Monday.

Mr. True Brown was at home Sunday.

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named.

At a Probate Court, at Paris, in vacation in and for the County of Oxford, on the twenty-fourth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris, on the third Tuesday of July, A. D. 1925, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Julius P. Skillings late of Bethel, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Alice M. Skillings as executrix of the same to act without bond as expressed in said will presented by said Alice M. Skillings, the executrix therein named.

Witness, Henry H. Hastings, Judge of said Court at Paris this twenty-fourth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

ALBERT D. PARK, Register.

625-31

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named.

At a Probate Court, held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris, on the third Tuesday of July, A. D. 1925, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Alberta E. Buraham late of Bethel, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Lydia U. Barker as executrix of the same to act without bond as expressed in said will presented by said Lydia U. Barker, the executrix therein named.

Helen L. Stearns late of Paris, deceased; petition that Annie L. Willey or some other suitable person be appointed administratrix of the estate of said deceased presented by said Annie L. Willey, daughter and heir-at-law.

Mary F. Farwell late of Bethel, deceased; petition for license to sell and convey real estate presented by Frank M. Kendall, executor.

Witness, Henry H. Hastings, Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

ALBERT D. PARK, Register.

625-31

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Mildred L. Donahue, late of Albany in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

E. O. DONAHUE

June 18th, 1925. Albany, Maine.

625-31

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the estate of Edward P. Grover late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

ASHBURN L. GROVER

June 18th, 1925. Bethel, Maine.

625-31

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Frank H. Taylor late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

WINNIE EMERY

June 17th, 1925. Bethel, Maine. R. P. D. 625-31

NOTICE

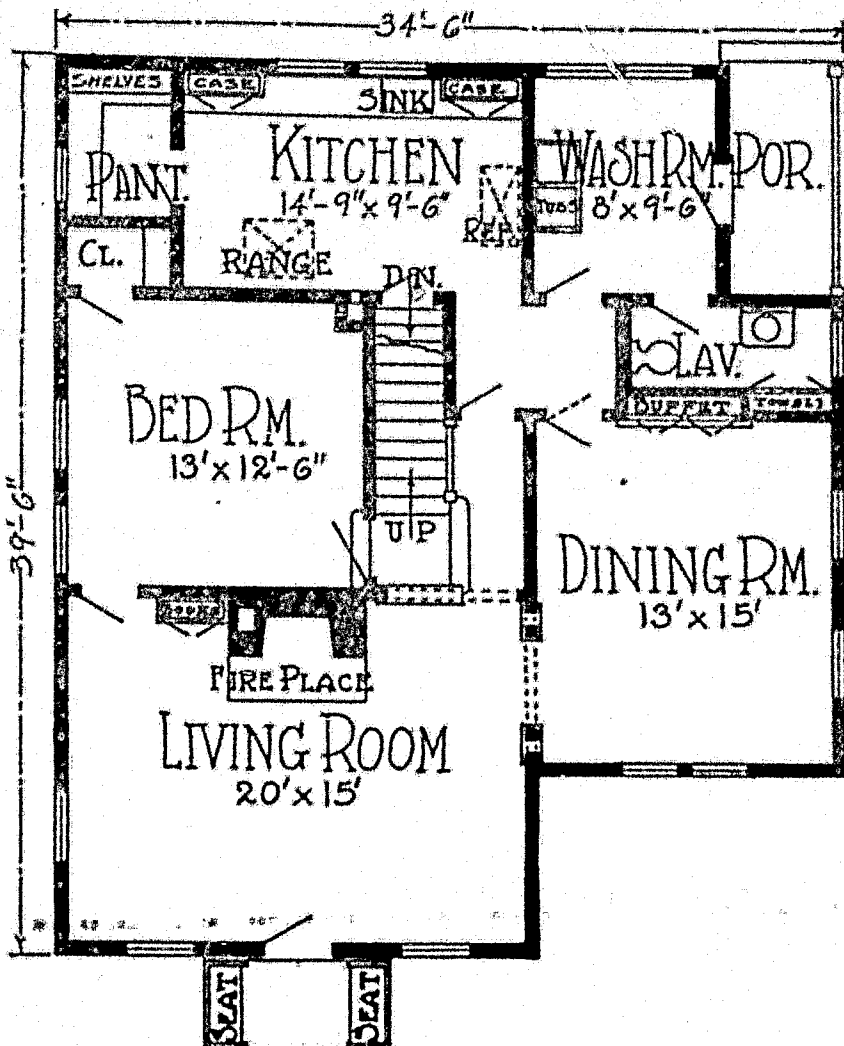
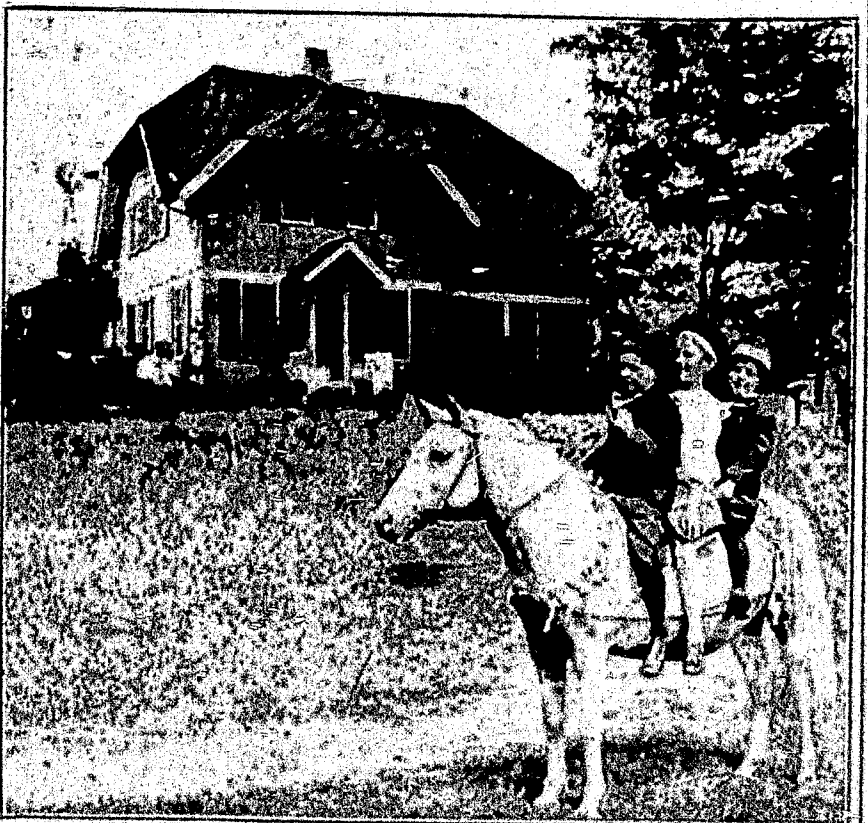
The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed executrix of the estate of Francis H. Tull late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

NADIE H. TULL

June 17th, 1925. Bethel, Maine.

625-31

House Which Provides for Comfort and Convenience of the Family



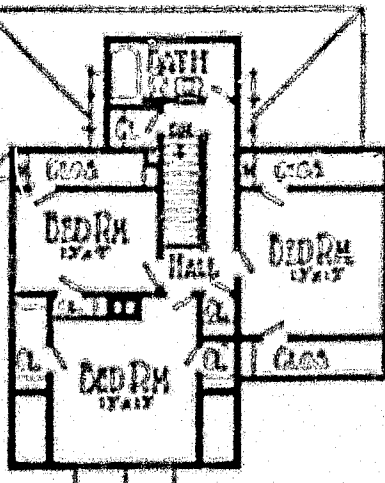
First Floor Plan.

By WILLIAM A. RADFORD

Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF COST on all problems pertaining to the subject of building, for the readers of this paper. An account of his wide experience as editor, author and manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the highest authority on the subject. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 1217 Prairie Avenue, Chicago, Ill., and only inclose two-cent stamp for reply.

There was a time in the development of our rural communities when it was common to see a farm provided with large, fine, modern barns for housing the stock and machinery while the farmer and his family contented themselves with a small, inconvenient and unattractive house. But that day is rapidly passing. The farm home of today is better adapted to living comfort. With the development of farm lighting and water supply systems and similar equipment, many farm homes today are provided with every convenience and comfort which can be found in the city home.

These homes also present an attractive appearance, for the appreciation of a beautiful home is growing in every part of the country. In



Second Floor Plan.

some respects the farm home has an even greater opportunity for beauty than has the city dwelling. The surroundings of any house are an inseparable part of it and few homes in the city can boast of the natural beauties of their location. In the country it is an easy matter to provide the home with a beautiful setting of trees and shrubbery for plenty of space is available and the materials are ready at hand.

How much the trees add to the home shown here, and even this could be easily improved by the addition of plantings at the other side of the building which would balance the effect and

partially hide the buildings at the rear.

This house is an unpretentious but comfortable farm home of seven rooms besides a wash room on the first floor. It is a frame house finished in stucco and the broad eaves and irregular roof lines relieve what might otherwise seem a rather bare exterior.

The front entrance opens into a large living room with the traditional fireplace opposite the door. At either side of the fireplace is a door, the one giving access to a first-floor bedroom, while the other leads to a hall connecting the second-floor stairs. At the right of the living room is the dining room, well lighted by windows on two sides and with a built-in buffet at one side.

At the rear of the house is a kitchen where one can see the effect of modern ideas of convenience for the housekeeper. A cupboard is built in at each side of the sink, over which there are two broad windows giving a view of the open country beyond. Off of the kitchen there is a large pantry, ample storage space for the needs of a large family. At the other side of the rear a wash room opens off the hall. Here again we see the effect of consideration for the housekeeper, in placing the wash room on the first floor where it will not be necessary to climb up and down stairs to reach it. Opposite is a convenient lavatory, which also saves much stair climbing.

The second floor has three good sized bedrooms and a bathroom, all grouped about the hall at the head of the stairs. The most conspicuous feature of the second floor is the generous proportion of closet space. Each bedroom is supplied with two closets and these are of unusual size. In addition there is a chest fast off of the bath room and another in the hall at the head of the stairs. Here are eight closets in addition to the one provided for the first floor bedroom, truly a feature which should appeal to every woman.

New Bathroom Cabinet Has Good Features

Modern-type bathrooms are notable for the attractiveness of their fittings. A new bathroom cabinet is a striking addition to this list.

The body is formed from a single piece of steel. Its inside dimensions are 34" by 18" by 22" inches. It has a mirror mirror of imported plate, and on either side is a swinging wire mirror. All mirrors have a cabinet bevel. The other side of the cabinet has small electric lights, and an electrical receptacle is conveniently located to supply current for electrical appliances such as curling iron, water heater, etc.

RESOLUTIONS

The members of Bethel Lodge, No. 97, F. & A. M., are again called upon to observe the 'last sad offices of brotherhood and lament the loss' of brother Julius Palmer Skillings.

His life, as a business man, was of "good repute" and should teach us to be "upright in our dealings with mankind,"—as a citizen, he was loyal to government and its laws, and interested in any cause that would bring happiness and cheer to the homes in his community,—as a brother, he was loyal to the tenets of masonry, prompt to give aid and relief whenever and wherever needed, regardless of wealth or honor.

Resolved, That with his relatives we deeply sympathize in their great affliction. Let us remember that his influence shall not be forgotten,—he lives on and on in the thoughts and affections of those who knew and loved him. Let it comfort us to reflect that "it is often a great gain to die," for it relieves the sufferer and brings us face to face with the Peace of the Great Beyond.

Resolved, That these resolutions of respect be spread upon our records—published in the Oxford County Citizen, and a copy sent to the bereaved widow.

I. H. Wright,
A. Van Den Kerckhoven,
T. L. Brown,
Committee on Resolutions.

WEST BETHEL

Miss Libbie Lynne Goodridge and Miss Helen Black of Portland were guests of Mrs. Estella Goodridge, Sunday.

Mr. Francis Mills left Wednesday for York Beach where he has employment. Clarence Bennett and Byron Abbott were in West Paris, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mason of Springfield, Mass., were guests of relatives in town Saturday and Sunday. Miss Esther Mason returned home with them for a visit.

Mrs. Thaddeus Luxton is ill with the grippe.

Master Delmont Harding who has been in Springfield, Mass., for several months returned home Saturday.

Mr. William Spincey visited his wife at Ida Bennett's, Saturday.

Mrs. Nettie Mason and son, Gordon, were in Bethel recently.

Mr. and Mrs. George Merriam and friends of Portland called on Mrs. Maud O'Reilly, Sunday.

One million salmon sent to Maine by United States Bureau of Fisheries will be placed in waters of eastern part of state.

NEWRY

Fred Bartlett of Bethel is at work for Elmer Bailey on the State road and boarding with F. I. French.

Rosie Sweet of Bethel, N. H., is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Carrie French.

Bruce Bailey of Bethel is spending his vacation with Mrs. A. E. Bailey.

Duncan McPherson is having a vacation from his work at Gilead.

G. H. Learned and George are sawing wood for C. H. L. Powers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Richardson took their son, Herman to Rumford, Thursday to have his tonsils removed. The operation was a success.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Douglass of Gratton Plantation were in town last Friday night with their new car, a Maxwell sedan.

ALBANY

The Circle will be held Thursday evening, July 2, at the vestry.

Rev. Harold G. Booth of Portland gave an inspiring sermon at the Albany church Sunday morning. His subject was "The Simplicity and Power of the Gospel."

Next Sunday, July 5, Mrs. Ives will be with us and hold a communion service. New members of the church will be received at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Grover and daughter, Mary, of Lovell spent the week end at their place here.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos L. Bean of Haverhill, Mass., were recent visitors of his mother, Mrs. Angie Bean.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Skeele and daughter are to sail from England, July 10, reaching Albany the latter part of the month.

Mrs. H. I. Bean with her daughters, Florine and Muriel, are spending the week with Mr. Bean's mother, Mrs. Angie Bean.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Leighton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Jones, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Abel Andrews were guests of their son, Arthur Andrews, at Bryant's Pond, Saturday.

ANDOVER

The comic drama, "His Uncle's Niece," copyright 1923 by R. W. Barrett, published by Walter H. Baker Co. of Boston, will be presented at Andover, McAllister Theatre, Thursday evening, July 2. This will be the sixth presentation of this comedy, which has met with success in other towns. The plot brings forth many hilarious situations and the end is sure to be a surprise and pleasing to any audience.

Mr. Home Town Booster, Buy Your Tires Here.

We can save you money. When you buy out of town, if you're square with yourself, you have to figure postage, express, cost of money order or draft. Then put the tire on yourself. We've got that beat to death with the world's famous

Pathfinder Cord

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Made by the world's largest manufacturer, and a real tire.

Be Sure You Get the Genuine Pathfinder.

Central Service Station

J. B. CHAPMAN, Prop.
BETHEL, MAINE

Notice

To Our Customers and Friends:

We are closing out our stock of merchandise at West Bethel, preparatory to discontinuing business here.

Beginning July 15th, we will issue no further credit. Our charge accounts will be closed, and all purchases, on and after that date, must be on a cash basis.

We would ask that all those to whom we have given credit, settle accounts in full by August 1st, to avoid unnecessary delay in collections.

We will continue on a cash basis until the greater part of our stock has been disposed of.

D. W. Cushing & Son
West Bethel, Maine

